

RALEIGH IN BRIEF.

LOCAL HAPPENINGS IN AND AROUND THE CAPITAL.

Short Items of News Gathered on the Fly by the Chronicle's Reporters.

Every day for two months past a small boy driving a lean-looking horse attached to a wagon with large rack frame loaded with pine straw stations himself directly opposite the front of the market on Fayetteville street. He was interviewed yesterday and said he sold the load for twenty-five cents and that with the money he bought all his own clothes and helped to feed the horse. Little things persistently followed up often times accomplish great ends.

Our Tobacco Market.

Daily sales of new tobacco are now the rule, and the weed will soon be in large quantities. The crop in our immediate neighborhood is a splendid one, and the cures thus far made are most satisfactory. The Raleigh buyers are lively ones and have demand for all they can get. Prices have been not only satisfactory, but most pleasing, and planters are more than congratulating in their good words for the Raleigh market. There will be heavy breaks every day next week at all the warehouses. Let every man interested in this tobacco market say a word in its behalf whenever opportunity presents when away from the city.

DECLARED UNSAFE.

The Old Tupper Church Corner of Cabarrus and Blount Streets Comes Down.

For years an unsightly structure known as Tupper's church at the corner of Blount and Cabarrus streets has been the subject of bitter litigation. So uncertain has been the knowledge of its ownership, and so repeatedly has the tide of litigation ebbed and flowed, first in favor of one contestant and then the other that none have ventured to expend any money in its repair. Thus it has stood without attention until it has been declared an unsafe structure, dangerous to life, and its use prohibited as a place of gathering together of the people for any purpose. Hence workmen are now engaged in tearing the old building down, and in its stead a neat and comfortable place of worship will be erected by the colored citizens.

RALEIGH'S CENSUS.

Mr. Joseph P. Gully Makes a Statement as to His District.

Frequently I see complaints in your paper against the census enumerators of the city of Raleigh. You have charged that the census is incorrect, and as I understand, you are urging this city to take it again.

Now I am one of the said enumerators, assigned to the district north of West Jones street and west side of North Salisbury street, inside the corporate limits from Jones street, and I know that I took the census of each house that was inhabited. I visited in person all occupied houses whose inmates were at home, and when such families were absent I got the census of such houses from their neighbors, as instructed by the government. I have no cause to think or say that the respective citizens of said district did not give to me a correct census report, and I did duly record what they gave me—and this district is my witness. Now in self-defense I call on you to make good your charge of incorrectness in my district and so far as I had jurisdiction, or retract so far as me and my district is concerned.

Yours Truly,

JOS. P. GULLY.

[The CHRONICLE has made no specific charges. We know Mr. GULLY is an excellent gentleman and we have no doubt that he did his duty faithfully. But he is only one of several enumerators. We believe that Raleigh has more people than were returned by all the census takers—all the people in Raleigh believe so—and we therefore demand a recount. If the recount shows that the census is as reported by the enumerators, then they are vindicated. If not, then they ought not to complain.—EDITOR.]

SANITATION.

Raleigh Ought to Have a Special Sanitary Officer.

Dr. James McKee, our Superintendent of Health, has asked the Board of Health for a special Sanitary officer, and the Board of Health, composed of the Superintendent of Health, Mayor Thompson, Aldermen Latta, Leach and Grimes, City Attorney Holding and Chief of Police Hearst, have unanimously recommended to the Board of Aldermen that such an officer be given the Health department of the city. That there is urgent need of such an officer there can be no doubt. The mere fact, that persons sweep up and otherwise clean their premises in anticipation of the monthly rounds of the regular police inspection is wholly insufficient to guarantee a healthy status of our city. That the internal condition of many houses in the city, particularly tenement houses, is such as is calculated to render the spread of an infectious or contagious disease which may gain a foothold is equally well known to almost all our physicians whose business calls them into all manner of domiciles.

When the Superintendent of Health after carefully considering the subject, asks for the services of an officer for the purpose of more closely guarding the health of the community, and when the superintendent himself devotes so much time, thought and attention to this matter without compensation or reward, we really think the matter should be speedily taken hold of and the health department strengthened to such ends that every possible care be exercised and every precaution taken to be ready for any emergency. Dr. McKee has rendered valuable service to this community and done it cheerfully, often at a personal expense and should any epidemic occur would it be reasonable to censure him were he to lay down his resignation and say, "I have done all I could to prevent such a calamity, who now will take the job of getting rid of it or prevent its spread?" Really we are with the Board of Health and hope that it will be ably supported by the Board of Aldermen.

A NEAT ELECTRIC APPLIANCE.

A Successful Experiment of Two Raleigh Young Men.

Messrs. Louie Mahler and Alexander McPheters, Jr., two amateur electricians of this city, have erected in the Capital Hose Reel house an electric gas-lighting apparatus. The arrangement is perfect, and is connected with the fire alarm, so that when the alarm strikes the bell in the reel house, every gas jet in the building instantly flashes forth its maximum of lighting power, and by simply pressing a button, all but one light is immediately extinguished. These young electricians are experimenting upon all manner of electrical appliances, and are now centering all their ingenuity upon a death trap for the capturing of wild game. They have nearly completed an instrument which in trapping all manner of game will no doubt be brought into general use. Its construction is such that the tightly fitting of difficultly arranged electrodes are not necessary to be attached to different portions of the subject's body, but the victim of this death-dealing instrument is only required to step upon a thin steel plate, overhanging which are millions of thread-like wires, which come in contact with all portions of the subject's body. Arrangements have been made for a public exhibition of this wonderful piece of scientific mechanism at the city dog pound at an early day. Major C. D. Hearst having secured its services for the instantaneous extermination of impounded dogs whom no one will pay the dog tax upon. This manner of death to unlicensed dogs is far better than the inhuman and often uncertain mode of strychnine.

A Card.

Mr. Editor: Allow me space in your paper to correct the statement you made in your paper of Tuesday in regard to the cutting affray on Saturday night last.

Your informant was mistaken in me asking Mr. Warren to take a drink with me. I met him on the street, and a friendly conversation arose between us. Something I said (do not remember what) he got offended at, and asked me if I wanted to lick him. I replied no. He asked me again. My reply was I could get a small boy that could lick him, patting him on the shoulder, in a friendly way. He then began cutting at me and I caught with him and he threw me down and still continued cutting me until he thought he had cut me enough, and got up and ran into a place near by. He had cut me bad and had thrown the knife away. These are the plain facts, and the reason I write this is to try and correct your statement made yesterday and give to the public a true and fair statement, both for myself and to him—Mr. Warren. Hoping you will correct the error, I am respectfully,

T. E. JONES.

[The CHRONICLE received its information of the affray as reported Tuesday from several parties who witnessed it and who were with Mr. Jones after the arrest at the station house. The facts of the case as developed from the sworn testimony of witnesses before the mayor Wednesday morning differs both from that which our informant gave and as stated by Mr. Jones. When the affray occurred both Mr. Jones and Mr. Warren were very considerably under the influence of liquor, and, perhaps, had they been sober, nothing of the kind would have occurred.]

Sale of House and Lot.

On Friday, the 12th day of September, 1890, I will sell at public auction at the court house door in Raleigh, N. C., a house and lot on Bloodworth street, in the city of Raleigh, and adjoining the lands of V. Roster, Wm. Womble and others, and more fully described in a deed of trust from Fortune Blount to J. N. Holding, trustee, and recorded in Book 105, page 162, of Register's office of Wake county. Terms of sale cash. Time of sale 12 o'clock m. J. N. HOLDING, Trustee.

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